



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Roger DENIS

Group Art Unit: 3763

Application No.: 09/857,144

Examiner: L. H. Thanh

Filed: February 8, 2002

Docket No.: 109684

For: A SAFETY ASSEMBLY FOR A PREFILLED SYRINGE FOR INJECTING LIQUID,  
IN PARTICULAR A MEDICINE

**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the November 6, 2003 final Office Action and the March 16, 2004  
Advisory Action, the shortened statutory period for reply being extended by the attached  
Petition for Extension of Time, upon entry of the Amendment After Final Rejection filed on  
March 5, 2004, in connection with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith,  
please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**

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